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TWENTY-FOURTH YEAR. NO. 50.

CEDARVILLE, OHIO, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1901.

PRICE \$1.00 A YEAR.

Monarch Shirts the Standard of Excellence

White, long or short bosom, at \$1.00. Fancy, correct in style, quality and fit, Light or dark patterns, one pair detached cuffs, at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Boys' Kid and Wool Gloves, Fleece lined, at 25 and 50c.

Boys' Negligee and Stiff Bosom Shirts.

Collars, Cuffs, Underwear, Hats, etc.

Men's Wool Sox,

Light, medium and heavy weights in black, navy blue and oxford at 25c.

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AND

FURNISHER

History of the U. P. Church of Cedarville, Ohio.

By Rev. E. O. Ross.

When the work of Joshua was about completed, he gathered all Israel at Shechem, and delivered his farewell address. Among other things he said: "Behold, this day I am going the way of all the earth; and ye know in all your hearts and in all your souls, that not one thing hath failed of all the good things which the Lord your God spake concerning you; all are come to pass unto you, and not one thing hath failed thereof."

These words can very easily be commended to the history of the United Presbyterian congregation of Cedarville. Not because of any very close analogy, but because of the profitable lessons suggested. Like Israel of old the generation who lived and labored and gave their attention to this congregation in its infancy have nearly all been gathered unto their fathers. Like them our past history has its critical hours, and like them we have been assailed into more prosperous times. Like them the leaders raised up for important work and those to whom this congregation looked for guidance have been called away, some to other duties on earth, but the greater number to their eternal crown. But most of all, we are like them in the need which we have to recall the blessings and promises of the Lord our God which have not failed through all these years.

The United Presbyterian congregation of Cedarville has just passed the 57th anniversary of its history, but it was not organized under the name which it now bears. To many of the readers of this history the mention of the Cedarville Associate Reformed Presbyterian congregation will arouse curiosity and wonder as to what ever became of such an organization. But that was the name of the congregation and of the denomination at that time. Doubtless some facetious speculator will ascribe the death to the name. But it was not death but marriage which changed the name. Of the happy union when the long and tortuous name was lost we will speak later. Why was such a name ever given to a denomination?

As is generally believed this denomination is of Scotch and Scotch-Irish origin. Among the early emigrants to this country from Scotland were Cameronians or Covenanters, or as they styled themselves Reformed Presbyterians (old school). This emigration began with a ship load banished from their fatherland for religious views and brought hither to be sold as slaves by George Scott, Laird of Pitlochrie. The Laird died on the voyage and the ship was driven ashore near Perth Amboy, New Jersey, about the middle of December, 1685. Suit was afterward brought by the son-in-law of George Scott for their passage. The case was tried, and because they had not of their own accord taken passage were declared assailed. From that time on for fifty years small colonies came voluntarily and settled in different parts of the country, but they were in small groups and far apart and were without a minister of the gospel of their faith. In 1751 Rev. John Cuthbertson came from Scotland and ministered to their spiritual wants. His parish extended from Vermont and New Hampshire on the north to Virginia on the south. He effected for them formal organization and they took their name and place in this country among the denominations as Reformed Presbyterians.

This man was the only minister of that church for over twenty years and gave to America forty years of a faithful ministry. During his life he preached on 2,452 days, baptized 1,806 children, married 204 couples, and rode on horseback, the only mode of long distance traveling in those times, over 70,000 miles, or nearly three times around the globe. He, like Paul, was in labors abundant. In 1774, through the solicitation of a commissioner sent from this country, Revs. Matthew Lipp and Alexander

Dobbin came to America and, with Rev. Mr. Cuthbertson, organized the Reformed Presbyterian Presbytery of America on March 10, 1774. This Presbytery continued until 1782, when it united with another branch of the church. Of this branch and the union effected we will speak in the next article.

Note.—It is the purpose of the writer to publish this history in a series of articles in the Herald and to make it entirely reliable. If the demand shall warrant, it will be published later as a booklet, together with reminiscences of the early pastors as far as they can be gathered. The writer will appreciate any corrections or information concerning any of the statements made, and all such will receive consideration in the revision for subsequent publication.

Harner-Bickett Nuptials.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. S. J. Harper when her daughter, Margaret Lavenia, was united in marriage to Albert Bickett, Rev. W. A. Robb, of Jamestown, an uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony, and was assisted by Rev. J. W. Bickett, of Greenfield, a brother of the groom. The ceremony was witnessed by about forty friends and relatives. A wedding supper was served after which followed congratulations. The newly married couple drove to their home near Old Town Run where the groom owns a farm. They have the good wishes of a large circle of friends in their new life.

They Will Prosecute.

A number of complaints have been laid in regard to the looting about the depot on Sabbath evening at the late train. Several names have been forwarded to the chief of detectives for the company, and it is probable that prosecution will follow for loitering. The cases will be tried to make an example so that there will be better order in the future. A detective was here the first of the week looking up evidence, and it is very likely there will be a number of subpoenas served the coming week, so those who are in the habit of carousing about the depot had better make themselves scarce for this coming week at least. Agent Keyes has already served notices on several, they being at first notified according to law, then prosecutions will follow. All have been warned in some way, and unless they make themselves scarce there will be no one to blame but them selves.

Refused to Appoint.

There seems to be consternation among some of the politicians in regard to President Roosevelt's refusal to appoint ex-Congressman Walter L. Weaver, of Springfield, to succeed General Jones, the present pension agent of Ohio. It is known that Weaver has the endorsement of Hanna as well as many other congressmen, but for some reason, it is said, the President refuses to make the appointment. Mr. Weaver made many friends here in September after his memorial address on the day of our late President's burial, and those who know him, know him to be the man for the place, and would gladly sanction his appointment. On the other hand we admire the President's stand on making appointments and the Weaver incident shows that, as was generally supposed by those who knew Mr. Roosevelt when he assumed the presidential office, he will be president indeed, and candidates for positions have first to be satisfactory to him. Otherwise recommendations will have no influence, no matter from whom they come. The President seems to be determined to break up the rule that one man has the power to say whom he shall appoint.

Cord of Thanks.

The D. S. Ervin Co. wish to express their thanks to the Cedarville Fire Co. for the kind assistance rendered us last Sabbath morning.

BY-THE-WAY.

Several days ago, while looking over some old papers in a pigeonhole in our desk, we found one bearing a title "Challenge Accepted," a campaign article that had been mailed to hundreds of Greene county voters during the last primary campaign. Possibly many recall the sentences "I was depicted as a monster of iniquity in contrast with a dazzling white paragon of wisdom and virtue. I do not forget how, on a former occasion, I was vilified, and how they persuaded the Christian people of this county to vote against me in the alleged interest of morality. Oh, 'Morality!' What tricks that art made to cover. As to temperance legislation, the little I was able to accomplish in that line is at least more than mere promises, however loudly uttered." What seemed so amusing to us was to read the article referred to and then, from an exchange, learn that this same writer (and defeated candidate) was establishing agencies and buying corn for the Colonial Distilling Company near Trebeins. "Doc" "By your works ye shall be known."

Western Kansas editors have a unique way of prodding up delinquent subscribers, as this will indicate: "If you have frequent headaches, dizziness, fainting spells accompanied by chills, cramps, corns, bunions, chilblains, epilepsy and jaundice, it is a sign that you are not well, but are liable to die any minute. Pay your subscription a year in advance and thus make yourself solid for a good obituary notice."

A janitor in Chicago has been fined five dollars for calling a woman "rubbeneck." He has also been put under a three hundred dollar bond not to apply the epithet to her again. He might have avoided judicial proceedings and yet vented his thoughts in words if he had told her that her cervical isthmus was composed of the insipid sap of the euphorbiaceous tree, Siphonia elastica. That would have been crushing but safe.

PHILOSOPHIC NOTES.

Well, well, well, here we are again. Another rousing meeting Monday evening. Every chair taken and good order observed. Music was a special feature of the evening.

The town quartette again favored us with their presence and singing. Miss Ethel Fields with the piano and Mr. Leroy Sterrett with his mandolin, accompanied by Miss Mary Sterrett, rendered as usual very acceptable music.

The literary program being prepared in reference to Thanksgiving, the most of the productions were on this subject. We wish to draw especial attention to the essay of Mr. Bird and the debate by Messrs. Barber and Bull. Mr. Barber gives promise of being another life with the exception of his laugh and the color of his hair. A declamation contest will be given in the hall a week from Monday evening. Everybody come. Admission free.

It's Beyond Us.

The paper mills at Cedarville have been short of water nearly all summer and finally gave an eastern company a contract to dig a well to furnish an overabundant supply, and after two months it is finished. The tubular cavity is ten feet in diameter, extending for 447 feet toward heaven, and now contains more than 300 feet of water. Excepting about six inches of soil at the top the hole is through solid rock all the way. The work was done with dynamite and cost several thousand dollars.—S. Charleston Sentinel.

Mr. George Haines shipped a load of fat cattle to Chicago last Saturday.

COURT NEWS.

A suit for damages and a suit for divorce were entered on the docket of the court of Common Pleas last Saturday. W. C. J. Randall is plaintiff and Elizabeth K. Denormandie is the defendant in a suit for damages to the amount of \$10,000. The plaintiff claims the defendant on Nov. 20, 1901 maliciously spoke concerning him, charging him with forgery, and that his name and reputation have been damaged in the sum of \$10,000. S. W. Dakota of Ye Low Springs, attorney.

Laura Nicely has brought suit for divorce against James Nicely. Frank H. Dean, attorney.

Milton Crabb has sued John Bryan for \$200 damages, alleging that that amount of damage has been done his sheep by Mr. Bryan's dogs. The case will be heard next Tuesday before Squire Hamilton and jury in Yellow Springs. The plaintiff avers that defendant's dogs killed five of his sheep and wounded twenty others.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Laura E. Nicely to Bedford Enix, one lot in Xenia, \$225. Heirs of John Hornick to B. Krebs, 55.9 acres in Xenia Tp., \$2328 50. Melvina D. Gowly, Hattie B. Stewart and Louisa J. Irwin to Richard Conrad, one lot in Xenia, \$12. Grant G. Hopping and wife to Fielding Dunbar, 15 acres in Miami Tp., \$700. Helen Boyd to Springfield and Xenia Traction Co., 1.10 acres in Xenia Tp., \$500.

Arden E. Wheeler vs. Elizabeth J. Wheeler. Divorce granted. P. B. & S. Co. vs. W. M. Mitchell. Foreclosure for \$5,185. Sarah Middleton, admr. vs. Adaline Middleton et al. Appraisement ordered.

E. H. Munger vs. Oscar Guskil et al. Judgement for \$1,100 and foreclosure. Denison University vs. S. K. Mitchell. Sale to T. B. and J. H. Andrews confirmed.

Change in Time of Trains.

Under a new schedule in effect Nov. 24, 1901 passenger trains over the Pennsylvania Lines leave Cedarville station as follows: For the East, No. 10, 7:35 a. m.; No. 32, 4:41 p. m. For the West, No. 83, 10:17 p. m.; No. 19, 2:30; No. 3, 8:54 p. m. For particular information on the subject apply to E. S. Keyes, Ticket Agent, Cedarville, O.

A Big Price.

Charles M. Hays, who recently gave up his place as president of the Southern Pacific railroad, is said to have received a check for \$155,000 as payment in full for his services. His yearly salary was to be \$55,000. He served ten months, and upon his acquiescence in the wishes of the Harriman syndicate that he retire a full year's salary and a bonus of \$100,000 were paid him, according to current report. This is the largest sum ever paid to a railroad man for a like term of service.

Sauerkraut.

There is an international interest to the reported increase in the American demand for sauerkraut. A Lebanon (Pa.) maker has just filled a contract for a fifteen ton supply of the great German delicacy. Germans have long maintained that lack of appreciation of such food varieties as theirs was responsible for American dyspepsia. Is the sauerkraut market to furnish the open door to our better education?—New York Tribune.

Not to Be Made Fun Of.

Much fun is poked at New Jersey as the headquarters of mosquitoes and malaria, but according to Frederick L. Hoffman, an expert on the comparative mortality of different countries, New Jersey has the lowest death rate of any civilized country, excepting Norway only.—New York World.

Messrs. Bradfute & Son and Andrew Bros. shipped their cattle to the fat stock show Wednesday. There were some thirty head altogether. The cattle were all in the finest condition, something very essential to compete in the show in which they entered. Andrew Bros. had a steer two years old in their lot that weighed 1720 pounds. D. Bradfute & Son sent a yearling 925 pounds. Messrs. Phillips, Turnbull and Coffey went with the Bradfute cattle, while Asker, Stewart and Emmet Williamson accompanied the Andrew cattle.

Ella Gales, colored, of Xenia, had too much "o-be-joyful" and was taken in Thursday afternoon for disorderly conduct. She is thankful now for a fine of \$15 cents and twenty days, the days to be omitted, providing the fine is paid in ten days. This is the first charge of this kind in Mayor's court for several months. Xenia's being a dry town is possibly the cause for the above affliction.

There will be a number of our citizens leave here Saturday and Monday for the Chicago Fat Stock Show. D. Bradfute, T. B. Andrew, O. E. Bradfute, R. E. Kerr, Frank Townsley, James Townsley, Will Turnbull, H. M. Barber, Thomas Arthur, J. W. Pollock and possibly others interested in cattle. An effort will be made to get train No. 21 to stop Monday morning.

There was a bustling case in Mayor Wolford's court Monday. The charge was sworn out against Timothy Haley, a railroad brakeman, by Myrtle Andrew, of Springfield. A preliminary hearing was given Monday behind closed doors and Haley was bound over to await action of the Grand Jury. His bond was placed at \$500, which secured his freedom.

The Honorable Wallace Bruce gave a very interesting lecture last Friday evening at the opera house on the theme, "Philosophy of Wit and Humor." The same trouble existed as has heretofore, the failure of the management to commence on time or failure of the audience to be in their seats at the proper time.

W. J. Smith has been appointed special traveling agent for the United States Life Insurance Company. Mr. Smith has the entire state for his territory.

Fred McMillan, of Des Moines, Iowa, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McMillan.

NOTICE

Will the party who borrowed our two-wheeled scraper more than a year ago please inform us as to its whereabouts? The D. S. Ervin Co.

FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

The Pretty Playthings That Mary Made Out of "Stickers."

Little Mary is the happiest of children usually, but one day her Auntie Joy found her looking almost doleful.

"I'm tired of everything I've got to play with," said Mary. "I wish I had some new playthings—some playthings that nobody had ever thought of before."

"I don't believe there are any playthings like that," said Auntie Joy smiling, "but come with me and I'll show you how to play with some playthings that used to make me very happy when I was a little girl, but that I never see any little children playing with now."

By the time Mary had found her hat Auntie Joy was ready with two paper bags from the kitchen. They went out to the empty lot near the house and Auntie Joy told Mary to be careful.

"We shall like the playthings we are after much better in our bags than clinging to our skirts," she said, laughing.

So they filled the two bags with the "stickers" which Mary had always hated before and went back to the veranda. And here Auntie Joy poured the "stickers" out on a big paper and showed Mary how to make them into doll's furniture.

Mary enjoyed the play so much that it was supper time long before she expected it.

"I haven't had such a good time this summer," she told Auntie Joy as they went into the house together.

And if any of Jane Jerome's little girls want to make doll's furniture out of "stickers" all they have to do is to stick the "stickers" together in any shape they want them. And the boys, who don't care about doll's furniture, may make pretty baskets in the same way.

Pet Eagles.

There are a few cases in which eagles have been made pets, so that we may suppose that if the birds were commoner they could be tamed at least as easily as bears. An imperial eagle taken from the nest accepted caresses, answered to a call and did not fly away when at liberty. At Alva there used to be an eagle kept on a chain, which shows, perhaps, that it could not be trusted to roam about the Ochils. A golden eagle, caught when fully grown, was successfully domesticated, but its wings were cut when it was first taken and so it had time to get accustomed to its new home and new life. Sometimes it went off for two or three weeks, but always came

back. It was fed on crows, shot for it. Whenever it attempted to seize a crow on its own account it always failed, Jim being much too artful a dodger.

Rhyme of the Presidents.
First stands the lofty Washington,
That noble, great, immortal one.
The older Adams next we see,
And Jefferson makes the number three.
Then Madison is fourth, you know,
The fifth one on the list, Monroe.
The sixth, and Adams comes again,
With Jackson seventh in the train.
Van Buren, eighth, falls into line,
And Harrison makes number nine.
The tenth is Tyler in the list,
And Polk, eleventh, as we learn.
The twelfth is Taylor in rotation,
Fillmore, thirteenth, in succession.
Fourteenth, Pierce has been selected;
Buchanan, fifteenth, is elected.
As sixteenth Lincoln rules the nation,
And Johnson, seventeenth, fills his station.
The eighteenth, then, is Grant, you know,
And, nineteenth, Hayes from Ohio.
Then comes another Buckeye son,
Garfield, the loved and married one,
Whose term was filled by Arthur through,
When Cleveland comes at twenty-two.
Then Harrison as twenty-third,
When Cleveland comes again is heard.
As twenty-fifth, McKinley, great,
Who, too, has shared the martyr's fate,
And, though his deepest grief is felt,
We hail the gallant Roosevelt.

Mamie and the Verse.
"Mamie," said the father, "run out and play; there is something I wish to tell your mother."
"Well, papa," answered Miss Mamie, "my verse at school today said, 'He that hath ears, let him hear'; so I think I ought to stay and hear what you are going to say."

Playing Barber Shop.



Tom has the scissors, and Ted's in a chair; Tommy is playing cut Ted's curly hair. "What style, Ned?" says Tommy, preparing to lop "like papa," says Teddy—"a hole at the top."—Harriet Brewer Sterling in St. Nicholas.

LIST OF LETTERS.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Cedarville postoffice for the month ending Nov. 30, 1901.
List No. 47.
Calaway, Floyd
T. N. Tarbox, P. M.

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Just Received from an Eastern Factory an Elegant Line of all
New Styles in

Furs, Scarfs, Collars, Collarettes.

Just the thing every lady needs. Our Prices Will be 25 per cent. Cheaper than of the large cities. It will pay you to examine our line before you purchase your furs. We also call your attention to the fact that we have the Best Line of Millinery in Central Ohio.

Respectfully,

Mrs. A. C. TAYLOR,

JAMESTOWN,

OHIO.

The Herald.

10 CENTS A YEAR.

HAROLD M. HILL, Editor and Proprietor.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1901.

The doctors who attended President McKinley, have prevented no bills. This is the first unprofessional thing that can be charged against them.

A Democratic organ says, "as a presidential possibility, Mr. Bryan is over the fence and out." Like his friend Mr. Tamm, Mr. Bryan may find a gate in the fence that will let him through on the other side.

President Roosevelt is now being referred to as a man of destiny. All are men of destiny. The great difference is, some men work strenuously with destiny. Others back against it and get thrown down.

Crocker's philosophic acceptance of the triumph of good government suggests the position of the Texan dog. "I never saw a dog fight a man so," it was said to the Texan. Dealing a vicious kick at the least, the Texan replied, "Bogob! he has no choice."

King Edward has decided that in the future he will not be a man of government on the occasion of his coronation. A distinction shall be made between a president, emperor and king. Very good. But where do the Sultan of the Solus and the Queen of the Lannish islands come in?

The Alabama Constitution, practically disfranchising the negro, was adopted at the late election by a cheerful majority. A resident of the state explains, "Alabama people are not such fools as to go to the trouble of making a new Constitution and then not pass it."

Some philanthropist who keeps his name secret promises to give \$10,000 a year for three years toward fighting the saloon if the New York Anti-Saloon league will increase the fund to \$40,000. It is claimed that the man is John D. Rockefeller, though it is pointed out that a decrease in the consumption of liquor will not increase the demand for oil.

Women and Jewels.

Jewels, candy, flowers, man—that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even that greatest of all jewels, health, is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save the money to purchase them. If a woman will risk her health to get a coveted gown, then let her fortify herself against the tedious consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Bowditch's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all, but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at Ridgway & Co., Cedarville, O.

Get Green's Special Almanac.

Failure to provide a suitable dwelling place, with the consequent exposure to cold, and to provide sufficient food and clothing, is held in an Illinois decision not to be within the meaning of a statute allowing a divorce for extreme and repeated cruelty.

EASY TO CURE A COLD. If you get about it right. Take two or three Krause's Cold Cure Capsules during the day and two before retiring at night. This will insure a good night's rest and a free movement of the bowels next morning. Continue the treatment next day and your cold will melt away. Price 25c. Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

UP LATE LAST NIGHT? Then you don't feel just the best to-day. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is very effective for Sick Headache, Biliousness or disordered stomach. Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

D. P. Simpson, a horse buyer in northern Kansas, has adopted a new plan of buying horses. He pays no more than a pound. Good drivers are quoted at 11 cents per pound, farm horses 10 cents and ordinary plough horses 9 cents.

HOW'S THIS? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Canner & Co., Props, Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Canner for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

Exposition of Gift-Giving.

There is an etiquette governing the giving and receiving of presents, as there is about most things, because there is always a best way to do every thing. If we penetrate below the surface of the little courteous conventions we shall find that consideration for the feelings of others underlies all. Do not try to make your gift look as though it cost more than you paid for it. Aside from the petty spirit of such giving it is a delusion and a snare for next year your offering must seem to be as fine as the one of this season, or you may appear to have been less anxious to please your friend. The best gifts are those which put no tax upon material resources, but trifles of which the recipients may make frequent use, and so keep the giver in mind. Take the time to write a few words of loving or cordial greeting on the cards that accompany your gifts. With that evidence of individual, personal thought the offering of even the faintest present appears somewhat graceful and perfunctory. A message on a card is better than a note, because more informal, and one should not seem to make much of a gift. Having your presents daintily wrapped is not less a matter of courtesy. Let their outward appearance commend them. Leave them or send them to their destination the day before Christmas—unless you can insure their reception early in the day. A tardy gift appears like an afterthought—Derem, her Ladies' Home Journal.

WHEN YOU GET A HEADACHE. Don't wait a minute but go to your drugstore and get a box of Krause's Headache Capsules. They will prevent pain, even though your skull were cracked. They are harmless, too. Read the guarantee. Price 25c. Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

REDUCED RATES TO DETROIT, MICH. On account of Painters and Decorators Meeting, which is to be held in Detroit, December 2nd to 7th, the C. H. & D. Ry. will sell tickets at greatly reduced rates. For particulars call on any C. H. & D. agent or representative.

NOT A DISSENTING VOTE. A perfect laxative! That is the unanimous verdict of the people who use Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. 50c and \$1.00 sizes. Sold by C. M. Ridgway.

HOME-SEEKERS' EXCURSION

Low rate Home-Seekers' excursion tickets to points in West and South will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines November 5th and 19th, also on December 3d and 17th. Particular information about fares, time of trains and other details will be furnished upon application to Passenger and Ticket Agents of the Pennsylvania Lines.

MODERN SURGERY SURPASSED.

"While suffering from bad case of piles I consulted a physician who advised me to try a box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve," says G. F. Carter, Atlanta, Ga. "I procured a box and was entirely cured. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a splendid cure for piles, giving relief instantly, and I heartily recommend it to all sufferers." Surgery is unnecessary to cure piles. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure any case. Cuts, burns, bruises and all other wounds are also quickly cured by it. Beware of counterfeits. C. M. Ridgway.

NEW ENGLAND MAKES 360,000 PAIRS OF SHOES DAILY.

RELIABLE AND GENTLE. "Appl'g a pill," says the saw. But there are pills and pills. You want a pill which is certain, thorough, and gentle. That's what you need. DeWitt's Little Early Risers fill the bill. Purely vegetable. Do not force but assist the bowels to act. Strengthen and invigorate. Small and easy to take. C. M. Ridgway.

I'd leave my happy home and cross the deep blue sea, Rather than be without Charley and my Rocky Mountain Tex. Ask your druggist.

Notice the Comparison.

The liquor leaders are boasting and blustering about their political power in Ohio as shown by the recent election. Here are the figures which tell the story of the relative strength of the temperance and saloon forces.

Of the 51 representatives who voted against the Clark bill or dodged in the 74th General Assembly, only 11 will return to the 75th.

Of the 59 representatives who voted for the bill 32 came back.

Of the 16 senators who voted for it, only 4 return.

Of the 15 senators who voted for it, or in other words:

Of the 67 members of the General Assembly who voted against the bill, only 15 or considerably less than one-quarter, were re-elected.

Of the 74 members who voted for it, 28, or more than one-third, were re-elected. These figures demonstrate that the temperance campaign was more than twice as effective as the liquor campaign.

The President's Name.

The name of the president is "Roosevelt," not "Hoover." The indistinct pronunciation of the president's name by the hundreds of callers who throng the White House these days has resulted in an official and authorized statement of the correct way in which the name of the chief executive should be pronounced. This statement announced: "The accent is on the first of three syllables, and this first syllable is pronounced with the long sound of the letter 'o,' as in the word 'row,' and not as in the word 'goose.' The first letter 'e' is also sounded, and the entire name is spoken as though it were written 'Roosevelt.'" The statement concludes that all other ways of pronouncing the president's name, of which there is a great variety, are incorrect.

The Czar's Tartar Servants. The Tartar servants of the czar commanded the respect of the maîtres d'hôtel at Compiegne. They only drank milk, water or tea, were sober in eating and quite as faithful to the czar as the dog that was always with him. They are sons of the prophet. The Orthodox servants were too fond of the juice of the vine and of more potent beverages. There are, a Russian tells me, 300,000 Tartars in Russia. No Russian can obtain a situation as servant for which a Tartar competes. They are extremely quick and handy. Their nimble pace would alone enable one to distinguish them from Russians, who have a heavy, waddling gait.—London Truth.

Molten Wood.

Molten wood is reported as a new invention discovered by M. de Gall, inspector of forests at Lemur, France. By means of dry distillation and high pressure the escape of developing gases is prevented, thereby reducing the wood to a molten condition. After cooling off the mass assumes the character of coal, yet without showing a trace of the organic structure of that mineral. This new body is hard, but can be shaped and polished at will; is impervious to water and acids and is a perfect electrical nonconductor.—London House.

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Ready made Sheets, 50 and 75c. Pillow Cases 12 1-2c a pair. Comforts, 75c-\$1.50. Druggists \$3 up. Best quality Calico 4 and 5c a yd. Remnants, wool ingrain, 25c yd. Window Shades and Linoleum.

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For boys and girls in both plain and fleeced lined, the best in the world for 25c a pair. We guarantee our boys' heavy hose to outwear any two pair of 25c other makes made. A guess on free pony with every pair. Ladies' hose worth 40 and 50c, odds and ends of fall weight, while they last 29c

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Pleasure Seekers are the most wonderful known remedy as a nerve tonic. They create solid flesh, muscle and strength. Pleasure Seekers give vim, vigor and vitality to weak, wasting men, completely curing nervous debility, weak back, clears the brain, makes the blood pure and rich, whether it be a young or old man. Pleasure Seekers go directly to the seat of the weakness and do all that is claimed for them, even exceeding your fondest hopes. Try them and you will not be disappointed. 50c a box or by express 65c.

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THE RESULT of a long and painful struggle with the disease, I have been cured by Dr. Kennedy's Cough Syrup. I have been cured of my cough, and my throat is now clear. I have been cured of my asthma, and I can now breathe freely. I have been cured of my bronchitis, and my lungs are now healthy. I have been cured of my whooping cough, and I am now well. I have been cured of my croup, and my child is now healthy. I have been cured of my diphtheria, and my child is now well. I have been cured of my scarlet fever, and my child is now healthy. I have been cured of my measles, and my child is now well. I have been cured of my mumps, and my child is now healthy. I have been cured of my smallpox, and my child is now well. I have been cured of my typhoid fever, and my child is now healthy. I have been cured of my cholera, and my child is now well. I have been cured of my dysentery, and my child is now healthy. I have been cured of my malaria, and my child is now well. 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Local and Personal.

(See John B. Gordon, Dec. 11.)

Mr. Chas. Weimer has a new cash register of the latest design.

Stewart Pottle attended the wedding of his sister last Thursday at his home near Columbus.

Wanted—Apples, will pay good price for choice ones at Bird's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Powers spent Thanksgiving with friends near Greenfield, O.

For a nice Stylish Overcoat at a reasonable price go to Bird's Mammoth Store.

Charles Carson, formerly of the grocery firm of Coffey & Carson, who conducted a store here, was circulating among friends this week.

The local telephone company has placed a new telephone booth in the exchange for the transient trade.

For Rent—Best office room in Cedarville. Over Hitechock's billiard room. J. P. Chew, Xenia, O.

The Ladies Aid Society of the U. P. church will hold a "Bazaar" in the vacant room in the Lowry block the second week in December.

California White Grapes, 15c lb. Florida Oranges, 25c doz. White Star Coffee, 20, 25, 30, 35c lb. at Bird's.

Most all the trains from the east have been late, owing to the switchmen's strike at Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stevenson entertained the Andrew and Murdock families at Thanksgiving dinner.

Brings attractiveness to ladies, unobtainable girls, making them handsome, marriageable women. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35c. Ask your druggist.

Miss Junia Pollock left Wednesday for Columbus, where she will be the guest of a cousin for a week.

Ku-We-Ba Canned Peaches, Pineapple, Corn, Succotash and Salmon, are the best goods packed. Try them once and you will then buy no other. For sale at Bird's.

We understand that one of our young gentlemen is likely to take unto himself a wife. It is stated that the event will happen some time near New Year's. Can you guess?

New Sorghum molasses at Bird's.

J. M. Bull and Will Dean, of Springfield, with their families attended the marriage of Miss Margaret Harper to Mr. Albert Bickert, Tuesday evening.

Fancy Goods of every description including Collar and Cuff Boxes, Gloves and Handkerchiefs, Toilet Cases, Books in great variety, Dolls, Toys, Games, Caskets, etc., etc. Come and see them at Bird's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Spahr, of Jamestown, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. James Downey.

Miss Myrtle Gillespie resumed her school duties Monday, school having been dismissed since Wednesday.

HOLIDAY GOODS: Our entire stock of these goods will be ready for purchasers the coming week. Bird's Mammoth Store.

Miss Mattie Crawford, of Osborn, is visiting her parents for a few days.

Rev. Alfred Denison and wife, nee Ella Williamson of Commerce, Mich., arrived Monday evening and are guests at the home of S. K. Williamson. Rev. Denison will probably leave tomorrow for Youngstown, O., where he will visit relatives. Mrs. Denison will remain here until the holidays.

Ladies' Extension Sole Fine Dress Shoes, \$2.00 pair at Bird's.

Mr. John Tarbox entertained his immediate family at dinner, yesterday.

John Lett, of Dayton, spent Thanksgiving with his parents here. He was accompanied by his friend, John Rest, of the Gem City.

Tarted Twice, 10c lb. at Bird's.

The Hagar Straw Board & Paper Company followed its usual custom in giving each of its employees a turkey for Thanksgiving. The company has for several years made it a rule to present each with a turkey for Thanksgiving and the employees greatly appreciate the gift. These are some of the things that often are the means of keeping down labor troubles, as they bring the employee in closer touch with the company.

A thousand things by it are done far better than most things do one. We refer to Rocky Mountain Tea made by Madison Medicine Co. 35c. Ask your druggist.

Sheriff Bull sold the S. K. Mitchell residence and the sawmill property last Saturday morning, the sale being by order of the court to satisfy a judgment in favor of Dennison University, which held a mortgage on the property to the amount of \$5000. The property was sold to Messrs. J. H. and E. B. Andrews for \$5390. The price is considered very low in taking in the value of the residence, which is a handsome brick structure, finely situated.

John B. Gordon, Dec. 11

Eggs a/ becoming scarce. A new one is being made in the large cities on this product of the farm and it behooves the farmer to keep a close eye on his stock and feeding places.

For a good Suit of Clothing at a small price go to Bird's Mammoth Store.

Monmouth, Illinois, is supposed to have no saloons, yet forty-three persons have paid the government's required tax for retail liquor dealers.

Horace Shroeder came home Sabbath morning from Chicago, where he had been for several months.

For a Neck Tie that's up-to-date go to Bird's Mammoth Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ervin and son Fred, of Xenia, took Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Townsend.

For the best Duck Gout at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 go to Bird's Mammoth Store.

Mr. James Ervin and family were the guests of W. R. Sterrett and family, Thursday.

For a fine set of Dishes or a handsome Toilet Set for a Christmas present go to Bird's Mammoth Store.

Deputy Auditor, Walter Dean and wife, of Xenia, attended the Harper-Bickert wedding Tuesday evening.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cure biliousness, constipation and headache. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by C. M. Ridgway.

Few people realize the amount of tax that is paid by the railroads. The Pennsylvania this year will pay \$13,726.11 taxes to this county alone. Think of the enormous sum they would pay on the entire system.

Gen. John B. Gordon December 11. School adjourned on Wednesday until Monday, as it has been the custom of late years to give the pupils a holiday after Thanksgiving.

The fire department was called out at an early morning fire last Sabbath. Some time during the night a wood pile at D. S. Ervin's time kiln became ignited, supposedly from some five coals from an ash pile. The wind was high all night and this cause is attributed to the fire. Soon after the arrival of the department the flames were subdued. The loss was small.

Mr. James Duffield has sold out his dry and patronage to Geo. Shroeder, who will hereafter conduct the business. We understand Mr. Duffield will go to Washington, G. H. to work in a wholesale grocery store, though there is nothing definite.

Dr. P. R. Madden, Practice limited to EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT. Glasses Accurately Adjusted. Allen Building, Xenia, O. Telephone—Office No. 72, Residence No. 12.

The next number on the lecture course will be given Dec. 11 by Gen. John B. Gordon, on "The Last Days of the Confederacy." The play will be opened Friday, Dec. 6, at McCollum's.

Assa McLean who is employed in Columbus, spent Thanksgiving with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John McLean.

Miss Jean Irvine, a member of the Herald staff until the first of June, when she was forced to give up her work for a time, owing to declining health, took her departure Monday for Chipley, Florida, where she expects to remain some six months for the benefit of her health. Miss Irvine has a host of friends who will be pleased to hear of her early improvement.

—Don't fail to see Mr. Herman, the champion of all trick bicyclists, with Atkinson & Richards Bright Lights in his free exhibition at 11:30 a. m. Monday on the street.

Mrs. M. I. Marsh has for her guest her sister Miss Camille Roubush, of Owensville, Ohio.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ewry, Wednesday.

—Atkinson and Richards have been particularly fortunate in shaping up their company which contains a number of names that will be recognized by those well informed in the doings of the stage. Herman the champion cyclist, Blue Farum the musical comedian, Alice, lady hoop roller, Atkinson and Leslie in a sketch, Richards, balancer and juggler, and others of equal merit are on the bill. At Opera House, Monday, Dec. 2. Prices 10c, 20c, 30c.

There is something doing in connection with the Springfield & Xenia traction interests. All day yesterday a force of clerks was busy in the city clerk's office, copying all proceedings relative to the interests of the company in this city.—Tuesday Springfield Sun.

Hon. O. S. Kelly, the millionaire manufacturer of Springfield, is backing City Electrician Kroty in the perfecting of an invention which is designed to be used as a cash and package conveyor in stores, and the invention is about ready for the practical test. After being given a test in Springfield it will be taken to one of the big stores in New York City.

We are now showing the finest line of trimmed Hats in central Ohio. Beaver hats in Black and Colors, very latest hat out, also fine line of Black Velvet Hats.

Mrs. A. C. Taylor, Jamestown, Ohio.

Miss Elsie Chase, under whose direction the "Tom Thum" wedding was given here last winter, will give another at Jamestown this evening.

The court house building commission met Tuesday and the members find that instead of their work decreasing as the building nears completion it increases. At present the board is entertaining representatives for gas and electric fixtures, wood and metal furniture, mantels and grates, hardware and freestone.

Lum Moon, our genial Chinaman, notified his customers last Saturday that there would be no more "washers" with Lum in Cedarville. He expects to return to his native land. The room, which is owned by G. W. Crouse, will likely be occupied soon by another business.

Miss Nell Ustafek left Monday evening for a week's visit with her brothers Bert and Earl, of Columbus. Master Woodbridge went up on Tuesday evening.

Those who went from this place to Xenia Tuesday night to see "Humpty Dumpty" were somewhat disappointed, as the owners, Cornell & Son, have been enjoined from giving the performance, owing to an injunction gotten out by Dickinson & Mustard, who claim the original "Humpty Dumpty." These men are also at the head of the theatrical trust. Instead of the show being given as billed a first-class vaudeville performance was given.

Hoop rollers are one of the fads in vaudeville. Everhart was the original and his time is now almost entirely taken in Europe. It remained for Atkinson and Richards to capture the only lady hoop roller in the business. Her act is described as fascinating, almost bewildering and very pretty to look upon. She is known on the stage as Miss Aline and in private life is a very charming personage. She is surrounded by a cluster of equally interesting artists. At Opera House Dec. 2. Prices 10c, 20c and 30c.

We are informed that one of our groceries will change hands the first of the week. However, we are unable at present to give the name of the incoming proprietor.

To Hunters—No hunting will be allowed on my farm G. C. Hanna.

The Amalgamated Association of iron, steel and tin workers has entered a protest against the acceptance of \$5000 offered by Carnegie for the erection of a public library building in Elwood, Ind. They threaten to boycott the library in case the money is accepted. No, the union would not accept the money as a gift but they think it more honorable to strike for four dollars per day of eight hours when they get three dollars for ten hours. Let Carnegie offer Cedarville that amount, and see if our unions interfere with the acceptance.

—The Atkinson and Richards Co. in polite vaudeville and refined comedy will appear at Opera House next Monday evening with two separate and distinct programs. The prices for this engagement have been reduced to 10, 20 and 30 cents and will be the last attraction for these prices for the season. The company is a good one and will put up an evening of fun and entertainment that will please.

To-morrow ends the hunting season for the quail.

The following invitation was received here this week: "Mrs. D. J. Aiken requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of her daughter Anna Maude to Mr. James Patterson Rambo, Thursday evening, December the fifth, one thousand nine hundred and one, at seven o'clock, United Presbyterian church, Richmond, Kansas." The following at home card accompanied: "At home Thursday evening, December fifth, from seven thirty to ten thirty o'clock." The many friends here will be pleased to hear of Mr. Rambo's marriage next Thursday evening. Mr. Rambo attended college here two years. During his stay he made his home with his sister, Mrs. F. O. Ross.

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Better Come Soon

To make selections for your CHRISTMAS GIVING. New goods will be arriving almost every day, but we doubt having, at any time, a more complete assortment of fine and appropriate presents than are in the store now. Many of the wise ones have already chosen and had their packages laid away. Come in and see.

LOOK

No matter whether you want to buy something or nothing you're welcome. If you're wondering what to get for this one or that one you may find just what you're looking for. We have something to suit every person and every purse.

THE PRINCE of presents is the gold watch. We're showing a beautiful selection of these in all sizes and during December we'll give a special discount of 10 per cent on every watch bought for cash in our store. They are all marked in Plain Figures and Below the customary price.

We Have Gifts

For Father — For Brother
For Mother — For Sister
For Sweetheart — For Friend

Pretty combinations of the novel, useful and ornamental. Of standard, all-the-year-around goods we have an up-to-date line. We have an especially fine lot of Solid Silver Spoons we're selling at very low prices. In silver plated ware we have the best that money can buy, and no place will you find the same grades at lower prices. CLOCKS, BRONZES, CANDLES, LAMPS in gold and silver plate, ART POTTERY, LAMPS, PICTURE FRAMES and MIRRORS in solid brass and gold plate.

Mexican Hand Carved Leather

Chalissine Bags, Card Cases, Pocketbooks, Picture Frames, Belts, etc. These goods are very popular and make appropriate presents. COME IN! We'll show you many things we can't mention here. You're sure to see something to please you.

McCOLLUM,

The Jeweler.

Cedarville's population still continues to decrease, that is, in the foreign element. We have two citizens to leave us this week: Lum Moon, the Chinaman, and Joe Laydie, the Italian, and family, who for a year past has dealt quite extensively in the wholesale and retail banana business. The latter expects to go to Springfield, the mecca for banana vendors.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Crawford have issued invitations for a dinner party next Tuesday evening.

George Barber, a former Cedarville man now employed at the National Cash Register Works in Dayton, has been spending the week visiting relatives and friends here and near Jamestown.

Harry Aftill while out hunting Tuesday accidentally shot a valuable bird dog belonging to his brother Walter. The dog was one of the best trained for that kind of sport in this vicinity.

Mr. Gibson, of the firm of Gibson & Postle, proprietors of the cheese factory, returned Tuesday from his home near Columbus, where he had been for several months a victim of fever. To have been in such a critical condition as was Mr. Gibson, he is looking remarkably well. "Gib" friends here are glad to welcome him back.

PENSIONERS TAKE NOTICE.—I will be prepared to fill out vouchers Dec. 4, 1901, at the Horace Gillaugh home, Cedarville, Ohio, or any Notary Public business. A. BRADFORD.

Mr. Arthur Wright was circulating among friends here Wednesday. He and his family attended the Bickert-Harper wedding.

Mr. Oscar George and family left Thursday for Burlington, Ia., where they expect to visit for about a month. Mr. George is undecided as yet, but he may go on to Oklahoma, and inspect that country before his return.

The sale of Jersey cattle, held in Springfield Tuesday by Messrs. J. R. Orr and J. S. Brown, was fairly well attended and the stock brought good prices. Mr. R. F. Kerr acted as clerk. We failed to get a complete report.

—On account of the holiday rush, Downing may not be able to get to Cedarville but one or two more Fridays before the first of the year, so go at once and take advantage of the Christmas offer.

Thanksgiving morning found Xenia a "light" town, much to the disappointment of some.

J. D. Williamson and wife gave a Thanksgiving dinner for their children and families.

Attorney Hood was before Andrew Jackson Wednesday in Justice Court, endeavoring to find available assets belonging to S. L. Stewart. Mr. Hood was representing a Columbus wholesale house. Mr. Stewart was represented by Marcus Shoup.

There was no college yesterday nor today. Several of the students living near their homes took advantage of the vacation.

William Northup returned yesterday from St. Louis, where he went in the interest of the Paper Co. to buy mules, that city having the largest mule market in the world. Will purchased 12 and had them shipped to Dayton, they being driven from there here. After they were released in Dayton they became scattered that it was rather difficult work to get them all together again. They arrived about three o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Manor and son, of Xenia, were guests of Mrs. Mary Duffield and family, Thursday.

Toy Bromberg, who has employment at the Dayton State Hospital, spent the week here with his father, Mr. John Bromberg.

HENRY SMITH & SON—CHINA, BRIC-A-BRAC, CRYSTAL GLASS, ETC.

THE "OLD TIMER" invites all his friends, patrons and prospective patrons of Cedarville to get one of his

Handsome Dinner Sets.

This old reliable firm, which has been in business in Springfield for years, has magnificent line of

... HIGH GRADE CHINA IN SETS AND SINGLE PIECES ...

And all the latest styles of popular goods in

Cut Glass, Bric-a-Brac, Lamps. Chamber Sets, Vases, etc.

They will appreciate a call from all intending purchasers.

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A LITTLE NONSENSE

Discovery of a Bride at the Outset of Housekeeping.

A bride who began housekeeping in a New York city apartment a few weeks ago had considerable trouble with roaches. They got into everything. The bride was in distraction. But when her husband got home from his office one night he found the bride beaming with joy.

"I have fixed it," she cried, hardly waiting for the man to take off his coat. "I have done just the brightest thing, I have got rid of them, or, at least, some of them."

"Them? Who?" demanded the husband.

"Why, the roaches, of course," replied the bride, leading the way to the kitchen.

There in the center of a table was a big heap of dead roaches. They were mixed in with a brown powder.

"You got some kind of roach poison, I see," commented the husband. "It works all right, doesn't it?"

"Splendidly. Why, I just put a little heap of it there and it killed all of those right away. But it took me a long time to catch them."

"Catch them?"

"Of course. You see, you put some of this powder on a table. Then you catch the bugs and put them into it. It kills most of them right away, but some try to run away and then you have to hold them right in it."

"I see," said the husband, and he walked away without another word. But, then, he had been married only a very few weeks.—New York Sun.

Spiteful Girl.

He—What a splendid complexion Miss Peachbloom has! Does she get it from her father or her mother?

She—From her father. He's in the cosmetic business, you know.

In Retreat.

Down from the upper air floated the strains of music, yet Neptune was visibly annoyed.

"What's gnawing at thy vitals, sire?" asked the mermaid.

"I wish in the name of Orpheus," said the sea king, "that boating parties could sing something else beside 'A Life on the Ocean Wave!'"

And forthwith he crawled into a cave and pulled the cave in after him.—New York Marine Journal.

A Question of Need.

"What have you done with all the money I gave you for campaign purposes?" asked Senator Sorghum.

"I have put it where it was needed," answered the agent.

"That's what I thought," was the disconsolate answer. "Before I can rely on getting it all placed I suppose I've got to wait until you get more than you need."—Washington Star.

EXCURSION TO CHICAGO.

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UNDERWEAR 25c to \$2.

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The Hatter's.

27 S. Limestone St., SPRINGFIELD, OHIO.

Corning, O., Nov. 5, 1900.

Pepsin Syrup Co., Monticello, Ill.

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